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After receiving the delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, Comrade Kim Il Sung poses for a photograph together with its entire members

Comrade KIM IL SUNG, the Respected and Beloved Leader,

Receives Delegation of Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, Head of State and Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received on March 6 the delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia.

Present on the occasion were Sarin Chhak, Member of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the National United Front of Kampuchea and Foreign Minister of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, who was heading the delegation; and members of the delegation Chan Youran, Member of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the National United Front of Kampuchea and Minister of Public Education and Youth Affairs of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, Hak Seang Layny, Deputy State Secretary of the Foreign Ministry of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, Bou Veng, Director of the Political Department of the Foreign Ministry of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, and Ang Kim Khoan, Ambassador of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia to our country.

Comrade Pak Sung Chul, Second Vice-Premier of the Cabinet, and Ho Dam, Foreign Minister, Kim Su Duk, Minister of Common Education, and Kim Un Hwan, Ambassador of our country to Cambodia, were also on hand.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, had a warm, friendly conversation with the guests.

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Gives Dinner in Honour of Delegation of Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia

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The dinner proceeded in a warm atmosphere overflowing with feeling of fraternal friendship.

TELEGRAMS

✦ Comrade **Kim Il Sung**, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, and Comrade **Choi Yong Kun**, President of the Presidium of the Supreme People's Assembly of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received a telegram from Comrade Major **Fidel Castro Ruz**, First Secretary of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Cuba and Prime Minister of the Revolutionary Government of the Republic of Cuba, and Comrade Dr. **Osvaldo Dorticos Torrado**, President of the Republic of Cuba, in reply to their telegram of greetings sent on the occasion of the New Year and the 12th anniversary of the victory of the Cuban Revolution.

✦ Comrade **Kim Il Sung**, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received a telegram from Comrade **Pham Van Dong**, Premier of the Government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam, in reply to his telegram of greetings sent on the occasion of the latter's 65th birthday.

✦ Comrade **Kim Il Sung**, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, sent a telegram of greetings to Comrade **Pham Van Dong**, Premier of the Government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam, on his 65th birthday.

✦ Premier **Kim Il Sung** of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea sent a telegram to **Houari Boumedienne**, Chairman of the Algerian Council of Revolution and Prime Minister of the Algerian Democratic and People's Republic, supporting the revolutionary steps of the Algerian government for nationalizing oil and gas companies of the French imperialists.

✦ Premier **Kim Il Sung** of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea sent a telegram of greetings to **Moulay Hassan** the Second, King of Morocco, on the national day of Morocco, the national fete of her people.

✦ Premier **Kim Il Sung** of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea sent a telegram of greetings to **Seewoosagur Ramgoolam**, Prime Minister of Mauritius, on the occasion of the third anniversary of the independence of Mauritius.

✦ **The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea** sent a telegram of greetings to **the Central Committee of the Mongolian People's Revolutionary Party** on the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Mongolian People's Revolutionary Party.

✦ **The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea** sent a telegram of greetings to **the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Portugal** on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of its founding.

✦ **The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea** sent a telegram of greetings to **the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Switzerland** on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Communist Party of Switzerland.

The Respected and Beloved Leader Comrade KIM IL SUNG

Receives Congratulatory Telegrams and Letters from Many Countries

on the Occasion of 23rd Founding Anniversary of the Heroic Korean People's Army

The great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung, ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander and military strategist-genius, received congratulatory telegrams and letters from many countries on the occasion of the 23rd anniversary of the founding of the heroic Korean People's Army.

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung received telegrams of greetings from Mohamed Moktar Marut, Minister of National Defence of the Islamic Republic of Mauritania; Fall Malick, General Secretary of the Union of Mauritanian Workers and Member of the Mauritanian National Assembly; Thakin Lwin, General Secretary of the Burmese Council for World Peace; U Ohn Lwin, Chairman of the Burma-Korea Friendship Association; Anwar Abdul Rahman, General Secretary of the "Palestinian Solidarity Committee for Supporting the Korean People's Struggle for Withdrawal of U.S. Imperialist Aggressor Troops from South Korea", the Pakistan-Korea Friendship Association; the Kandy Branch of the Ceylon-People's Korea Friendship Association; the members of the "Group for Study of Revolutionary Activities of Comrade Kim Il Sung" in the Union of Burma; the members of the "Group for Academic Study of Works of Comrade Kim Il Sung" in the Union of Burma; Manikral Shiresta, Editor-in-Chief of the "Editorial Board of Works of Premier Kim Il Sung" of the Nepal-Korea Friendship Association and Vice-Chairman of the Association; the members of the "Group for Study of Revolutionary History and Works of Comrade Kim Il Sung" of the Dominican students studying in Bulgaria; Victor L. Mayekissyo, chief of the "Group for Study of Immortal Works of Comrade Kim Il Sung" of the African organizations of national liberation movement in Cairo; Jakari Untambu Wiriza, chief of the "Group for Study of Works of Premier Kim Il Sung" in Burundi University; the Popular Front for Liberation of Palestine; Sarih Ahmed Ayai, head of the Mission of the General Headquarters of the Eritrean Liberation Front in Damascus; the Bagdad Branch of the Eritrean Liberation Front; Simon Malley, General Manager on behalf of the French journal **Africasia**.

He also received a letter from the Asian and African students studying in the Soviet Military Academy.

The members of the "Group for Study of Revolutionary History and Works of Comrade Kim Il Sung" of the Dominican students in Bulgaria pointed out as follows in their congratulatory telegram:

We offer the highest honour and congratulations to you Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, peerless patriot, national hero, ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander, military strategist-genius and one of the outstanding leaders of the international communist and working-class movements, on the occasion of the 23rd anniversary of the founding of the heroic Korean People's Army.

Under the wise guidance of the great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung, the Korean People's Army, direct successor to the brilliant revolutionary traditions built up in the days of the anti-Japanese armed struggle, has smashed the manoeuvres of the U.S. imperialist aggressors at every step, honourably defended the sovereignty of the socialist fatherland and the gains of the revolution and firmly safeguarded the eastern outpost of socialism for the past 20 years or more, thereby making a great contribution to world peace.

The Korean People's Army and the Korean people under the wise leadership of you Comrade Kim Il Sung, ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander and outstanding military strategist, burst the myth about the "mightiness" of U.S. imperialism to smithereens in the past Fatherland Liberation War, and thus gave powerful encouragement to hundreds of millions of world people in their struggle for national independence and freedom, started the U.S. imperialists on the downgrade and turned our era into the revolutionary era of anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist struggle.

The Korean People's Army has now grown into the one-beats-a-hundred invincible revolutionary armed forces equipped with means for attack and defence as a result of all-round implementation of the military line of the Workers' Party of Korea.

The defence power of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea has grown incomparably stronger than before. It has become strong enough to beat off any attack of the enemy as seen from the incidents of the U.S. imperialists' armed spy ship "Pueblo" and large spy plane "EC-121." All this owes exclusively to the wise, ever-victorious leadership of you, the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, who accumulated a wealth of experiences in the course of the protracted anti-Japanese armed struggle and created the great *Juche* idea and the profound theories on the revolution and who are possessed of the superb strategy and tactics and art of commanding the army and high virtues. The pre-eminent military strategy and tactics elaborated by you Comrade Kim Il Sung, the genius Leader of revolution, in the 40-odd-year-long revolutionary activities, your masterly and refined art of commanding the army and all the experiences you gained in the course of founding the Korean People's Army and rearing it into the invincible revolutionary armed force serve as an invaluable treasure and wealth, as the powerful guideline for the peoples of Asia, Africa and Latin America in their struggle against the imperialists and colonialists.

Jakari Untambu Wiriza, chief of "Group for Study of Works of Premier Kim Il Sung" in Burundi University stressed as follows in his telegram of greetings.

Warmly congratulating the Korean people and Korean People's Army upon the great achievements made under your distinguished guidance, we express active support for and solidarity with the just struggle of the entire Korean people for forcing the U.S. imperialist aggressors out of South Korea, crushing the Japanese militarists' schemes for re-aggression on South Korea, toppling the South Korean puppet clique and attaining the independent, peaceful unification of the country.

We cordially wish you, Marshal Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader of the 40 million Korean people, good health and a long life for the nation-wide victory of the Korean revolution, for the complete victory of socialism in Korea and for the victory of world revolution.

In Presence of the Respected and Beloved Leader Comrade KIM IL SUNG, National Meeting of Active Agitators and Five-Household Propagandists Held

In the presence of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of our Party and the 40 million Korean people, the National Meeting of Active Agitators and Five-Household Propagandists was held at the Mansudae Assembly Hall in Pyongyang for three days from March 9 to 11.

The meeting was convened under the grandiose circumstances where the whole country is seething with the "100-day battle" to fulfil ahead of the time set the national economic plan for this year, the first year of the Six-Year Plan, upholding the militant programme advanced by the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung at the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea and his New Year Address and where the spark of fresh technical innovation struck in person by the Leader in Huichon district has kindled a fierce flame of struggle for carrying out the three major tasks of technical revolution and new innovation and leap are taking place throughout the country.

Respectfully placed on the platform of the assembly hall was a portrait of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of our Party and the 40 million Korean people, outstanding Marxist-Leninist and genius of the revolution, who has steadfastly led our revolution along one road of victory, personally weathering all storm and stress with the destiny of the fatherland and the nation upon his shoulders for nearly half a century since he started the revolutionary activities in his early years.

Present at the meeting were functionaries of the Party organizations of all levels, the agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents, the sentinels on our Party's ideological front, who are fighting for the socialist construction and the defence of the fatherland, functionaries of the working people's organizations and men of the press.

The meeting discussed the militant tasks to be carried out by the agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents to rouse all the working people to a vigorous struggle for putting into practice the grand programme put forward by the great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung at the historic Fifth Congress of the WPK.

At 9 a.m., **the great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, mounted the platform.**

The entire attendants of the meeting rose to their feet at once and warmly welcomed the fatherly Leader and extended the deepest thanks and highest honour to him with the stormy cheers of "Long live the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung!" and prolonged, thunderous applause that shook the assembly hall.

The assembly hall was full of the feelings of infinite reverence for, trust in and intense loyalty to Comrade Kim Il Sung, the genius Leader of revolution and benevolent father of our people, who originated the great *Juche* idea and brightly illumined the path ahead of the Korean revolution with the immortal revolutionary idea, organized and led our people to victory in the struggle for the liberation of the country, in the peaceful construction after liberation, in the Fatherland Liberation War and in the socialist revolution and socialist construction, and thus opened up in this country an era of national prosperity and thriving, the like of which is unknown in our history, and who is now leading our people confidently to the bright future of communism.

Amid the resounding cheers of *manse* (hurrah) and prolonged thunderous applause Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of our Party and the 40 million Korean people and benevolent father of our people, was presented by model agitators and five-household propagandists with a basket of fragrant flowers carrying the feelings of boundless reverence of the attendants of the meeting and all the soldiers on our Party's ideological front.

The platform was also taken by Comrades Pak Sung Chul, Kim Yong Ju, Kim Dong Gyu, So Chol, Kim Jung Rin, Han Ik Su, Hyon Mu Gwang and Yang Hyong Sop, functionaries of the Party organs and working people's organizations, model agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents.

At the meeting Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, highly praised the soldiers on our Party's ideological front for their successes so far scored in the mass political agitation work and gave a programmatic instruction on the militant tasks to be fulfilled and the role to be played by the agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents in the struggle for carrying into effect the grand programme put forward by the historic Fifth Congress of the WPK.

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung posed for a photograph together with the attendants of the meeting.

Comrade Kim Guk Tae, Department Director of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, made a report at the meeting.

Referring to the great historic significance of the Fifth Congress of our Party, he emphasized that the report of the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung to the Congress is an encyclopedic Marxist-Leninist literature which systematizes and crystallizes in an all-round way all the ideas and theories on the revolution and construction he has expounded up to this date and that it is a great programmatic document which sets out a clear-cut goal in the struggle for hastening the complete victory of socialism in the northern half of the Republic and the nation-wide victory of the revolution.

The mass political agitation work serves as a powerful means of our Party's ideological work to deeply explain and infuse the working people with the teachings of the great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung and the Party's policies, their embodiment, rally them closely around the Leader and rouse them vigorously to the revolutionary struggle and construction work, the reporter pointed out and said:

With deep insight into the position and big role of the mass political agitation work in the revolution and construction Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, directed profound concern to this work from the early days of his revolutionary activities and built up the brilliant revolutionary tradition of our Party's mass political agitation work in the thick of the arduous and bloody struggle against Japanese imperialism and for the restoration of the fatherland.

After restoring the fatherland Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, newly propounded the idea that the mass political agitation work should be conducted in conformity with the new, changed historical circumstances and the requirements of the building up of a new state, on the basis of the brilliant revolutionary tradition he personally created in the days of the struggle for the liberation of the country, and he made it a powerful weapon in the revolution and construction, the reporter noted and continued:

The great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung taught as follows:

"What is *Juche* in the ideological work of our Party? What are we doing? We are engaged not in the revolution of any other country but precisely in the Korean revolution. This, the Korean revolution, constitutes the very *Juche* in the ideological work of our Party. Therefore, all ideological work must be subordinated to the interests of the Korean revolution."

The line of the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung on establishing *Juche* in the ideological work is a unique line reflecting the new stage of the development of the international communist movement and its essential requirements and the urgent demand of the development of the revolution in our country, and it is a guideline that clarified anew the fundamental principles and tasks of the ideological work as a powerful weapon of the revolution and construction.

The reporter noted that Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, taught in detail the character, tasks, forms and methods of the mass political agitation work, and led us to set up the well-arranged system of the mass political agitation work which meets the actual demands of the socialist construction and referred especially to the system of the five-household propagandists, the original and most excellent system of mass political work in the countryside, which was established by the Leader.

The reporter went on:

The orientation and content, forms and methods of mass political work expounded by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the brilliant Leader of revolution, and great examples set by him in person are a new and original idea, theory and methods which no one has ever put forth, and they constitute a firm guideline in the mass political agitation work of the Marxist-Leninist Party and a guide to action for all our propagandists and agitators.

The reporter stated:

Under the wise leadership of the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung the agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents, the soldiers on the ideological front of our Party, have splendidly discharged their honourable mission as an active defender and executor of the teachings of the Leader and Party policies and as a Red educator of the masses by strictly following the orientation and way of mass political agitation work indicated by the Leader in the past period.

The reporter dwelt on the proud successes so far scored by the agitators, five-household propagandists and worker-peasant correspondents and the tasks ahead of them and said in an emphatic tone that they should fight on with greater vigor along the road to brilliant victory in the building of socialism and

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Brief History of the Revolutionary Activities of Comrade KIM IL SUNG (35)

Early in 1968, a tense situation was created in our country owing to the intensified manoeuvres of the U.S. imperialists to provoke another war.

The situation became more acute as the U.S. imperialists raised frantic war clamours particularly in January 1968 when their armed spy ship "Pueblo" which was sent to intrude deep into the territorial waters of our country and perpetrate a grave provocation, was captured by the Navy of our heroic People's Army.

A serious state of affairs was engendered in our country owing to the reckless row of war provocation by the U.S. imperialists, which threatened the outbreak of a war at any moment; and the world's attention was focussed on Korea.

Comrade Kim Il Sung seriously warned the U.S. imperialist aggressors, who were making frenzied war clamours in connection with the seizure of the "Pueblo," as follows:

"If the U.S. imperialists continue to try to solve this matter by means of threat and blackmail by mobilizing their armed forces, they will get nothing therefrom. If they get anything it will be only corpses and death.

"We do not want war, but are never afraid of it. Our people and People's Army will return retaliation for the 'retaliation' of the U.S. imperialists, all-out war for all-out war."

This warning struck terrors into the enemy's heart and inspired our people with firm confidence in the victory of the revolution and fighting will to annihilate the enemy, and greatly encouraged them and drove them forward to the grandiose struggle for defending the country and further propelling socialist construction.

After the seizure of the "Pueblo," the U.S. imperialists tried to threaten our people with "retaliation" like a thief shouting "stop thief!"

But the scoundrels could not frighten our a-match-for-a-hundred people who are armed with the great revolutionary ideas of Comrade Kim Il Sung.

Unable to get out of the fix before the firm attitude of the Government of the Republic based on the principled and resolute stand of Comrade Kim Il Sung, before the indomitable determination and invincible might of our people, closely rallied around the Leader, and before the definite arraignment of the peoples of the world, the U.S. imperialists at last went down on their knees before the Korean people in December 1968 and made an apology for their aggressive acts and signed the letter of apology which guaranteed that they would not repeat such crimes.

This was a brilliant victory of the self-defence line of our Party set forth by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the revolution, and another great victory achieved by our people in the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist struggle.

This smashed to pieces once again the "myth" about the "mightiness" of the U.S. imperialists, inflicting upon them an ignominious defeat, and it widely demonstrated the might of our Republic and infused infinite conviction and valour in the revolutionary peoples of the world who have risen in the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist struggle.

While scrupulously organizing and leading all work so that preparations might be made in full to cope with the ever intensified manoeuvres of the U.S. imperialists for unleashing another war, Comrade Kim Il Sung took a series of measures for further raising the flames of the great revolutionary uplift on all fronts of economic construction and defence upbuilding and for further accelerating the Chollima march.

Our heroic working class and the working people, rallied more firmly around the respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, have waged revolutionary struggles, sparing minutes and seconds and doing two- or three-fold work ready to frustrate the enemies at one sweep in case they dare pounce upon us, and smashed all stagnation and conservatism, and marched on and on, and struggled and marched ahead in the Chollima spirit.

As a result, a great number of factories and enterprises throughout the country achieved remarkable successes fulfilling their yearly plans ahead of schedule before the 20th anniversary of the founding of the Republic, and wrought world-startling prodigies and innovations day in, day out.

In September 1968 our people celebrated with pomp and splendor the 20th anniversary of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, our glorious fatherland, overflowing with the high pride and honour and with infinite emotion and joy of having Comrade Kim Il Sung as the Leader and having won great victories in the revolution and construction under his wise leadership in the majestic circumstances in which the spirit of creation and progress was vibrating and flames of great revolutionary upswing were rising in every nook and corner of the country.

At the celebration of the 20th anniversary of the Republic Comrade Kim Il Sung made a historic report: **"The Democratic People's Republic of Korea Is the Banner of Freedom and Independence for Our People and the Powerful Weapon of Building Socialism and Communism."**

In the report Comrade Kim Il Sung scientifically analyzed and summed up the great exploits and the rich theoretical and practical experiences gained by our people in the revolution and construction under the banner of the Republic over the last 20 years, and set forth new programmatic tasks of the struggle to win complete victory of socialism in the northern half, to hasten the South Korean revolution and the cause of unification of the country, to frustrate the world strategy of the U.S. imperialists and promote the cause of the international revolution as a whole.

In the report Comrade Kim Il Sung gave a new Marxist-Leninist explanation, above all, on the question of the complete victory of socialism on the basis of a profound scientific analysis of the essence of the socialist system, of the characteristics of its socio-economic and class relations, the historical missions of the proletarian dictatorship, the law of the development of socialist society, etc., and elucidated the historical tasks for its materialization.

Comrade Kim Il Sung taught as follows:

"A society—where the hostile classes persist in insidious manoeuvrings, the corrosive action of old ideas continues, there still remain distinctions between towns and the countryside and the class distinctions between the working class and peasantry, the industrialization of the country has not been realized fully and the material and technical basis of socialism has not been laid firmly—cannot yet be called a completely triumphant socialist society.

Comrade Kim Il Sung among People's Army soldiers

"In order to achieve the complete victory of socialism and accomplish the historical cause of the working class, the socialist state must further strengthen its role as a weapon of class struggle, weapon of the building of socialism and communism. In other words, the socialist state should strengthen the dictatorship of the proletariat, carrying on the class struggle on the one hand and vigorously pushing ahead with the building of socialist economy on the other."

To continue with the revolution after the triumph of the socialist system and win the complete victory of socialism, Comrade Kim Il Sung taught, it is necessary to intensify the dictatorship over the class enemies, carry out the ideological revolution thoroughly and revolutionize and working-classize the whole society, solve the rural question once and for all and eliminate the distinctions between town and country, the class distinctions between the working class and the peasantry, carry out the socialist industrialization of the country, and firmly build up the material and technical basis of socialism. He further taught that to carry out these tasks properly, the proletarian dictatorship should be maintained firmly in the whole period of transition, the dictatorship over the hostile elements, the ideological revolution and economic work should be promoted all alike to seize the ideological and material fortresses. Further, he gave a clear Marxist-Leninist elucidation to the essence of the proletarian dictatorship and stressed the need to properly combine the dictatorship with democracy, the class struggle with the strengthening of unity and solidarity of the popular masses.

The profound theory and correct policies on the complete victory of socialism, as elucidated by Comrade Kim Il Sung, are a comprehensive, further development of the Marxist-Leninist theory concerning the transition period, class struggle and the proletarian dictatorship.

In the report, Comrade Kim Il Sung gave a new, scientific explanation also on the question of winning the final victory of socialism on the basis of a profound analysis of the historical experiences and the prospects of socialist construction.

Teaching that the final victory of the world revolution would be won in the course of the socialist revolution breaking out and winning the complete victory in a number of countries and the socialist camp being gradually extended, strengthened and developed, Comrade Kim Il Sung said that the class alliance of the socialist countries and the unity and solidarity of the socialist camp should be consolidated and the might of the camp be made invincible in order to win the final victory of socialism.

In shedding a new, clear light on the out-and-out revolutionary and scientific way to the complete victory of socialism and to its final victory, Comrade Kim Il Sung has given the revolutionary peoples of the world a powerful weapon for the brilliant fulfilment of the historic cause of the working class against Right and Left opportunism" under the complicated circumstances of today.

In the report, Comrade Kim Il Sung also made clear the unshakable stand, combat strategy and policy of our Party and Government for more vigorously unfolding the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist struggle to smash the U.S. imperialists and further develop the world revolution as a whole at the present time.

Pointing out that U.S. imperialism is today target No. 1 in the struggle of the peoples of the whole world, he taught that in order to defeat U.S. imperialism, the broad anti-imperialist forces should jointly deal a blow at U.S. imperialism and put pressure on it in Asia and Europe, Africa and Latin America, in all countries, big and small, in all areas and all lands to which U.S. imperialism has stretched out its claws of aggression.

He emphasized here, in particular, that should the peoples of small countries engaged in the revolution join their forces and resolutely fight, firmly convinced of victory, they could lay low U.S. imperialism on every front with overwhelmingly superior force.

Elucidating the anti-U.S. imperialist combat strategy that all should join in mutilating U.S. imperialism everywhere in the world, Comrade Kim Il Sung taught as follows:

"The peoples of all countries making revolution should tear limbs off the U.S. beast and behead it all over the world. The U.S. imperialists appear to be strong, but when the peoples of many countries attack them from all sides and join in mutilating them in that way, they will become impotent and bite the dust in the end."

This superb principled strategy, which embodies Comrade Kim Il Sung's great thought concerning the world revolution, is the only correct line under the present situation for further developing the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist struggle, which has given the revolutionary peoples of the world great encouragement and firm confidence in the victory of the revolution.

In the report Comrade Kim Il Sung again declared the consistent stand of the Government of the Republic concerning the South Korean revolution and the independent unification of the country, and clarified the correct strategical and tactical lines and measures for further accelerating the nation-wide victory of our revolution.

Comrade Kim Il Sung taught that the South Korean people should actively wage the struggle for driving the U.S. imperialist aggressors out of South Korea and smashing their colonial rule, and conduct this struggle in close combination with the struggle for seizing power. He further taught that in the revolutionary struggle in South Korea all forms of struggles—political and economic, legal and illegal, violent and non-violent, small-scale and large-scale—should without exception serve as preparations for the decisive battle for seizure of power, and this decisive battle can be crowned with victory only by violent methods.

Touching upon the issue of the unification of the country, Comrade Kim Il Sung emphasized that it can be realized only when the U.S. imperialist aggressors have been driven out from the territory of our country and the South Korean puppet regime has been smashed, and he said as follows:

"When U.S. imperialism is driven out and the people's democratic revolution is crowned with victory in South Korea and the people take power into their own hands, our cause of national unification will be achieved by the united strength of the socialist forces in the northern half and the democratic forces in South Korea."

This line set forth by Comrade Kim Il Sung is the most correct line which accords fully with the desire of our people and interests of the nation and enjoys wholehearted support from the peoples the world over.

The historic report delivered by Comrade Kim Il Sung at the 20th anniversary celebration of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea is a brilliant historic document which gave a profound Marxist-Leninist analysis, review and generalization of the results and experiences gained by our Party and people in building a new society, and is a great programmatic document which showed clear prospects and fighting tasks for consolidating and developing our socialist system, for achieving the complete victory of socialism and expediting the revolution in South Korea and unification of the country.

The report is also a superb revolutionary document which explicates the strategy and line of the struggle for frustrating the world strategy of U.S. imperialism at the present stage, accelerating its final downfall and achieving victory for the international revolutionary cause as a whole.

The report which logically systematizes and comprehends the profound thoughts, scientific theories and distinguished lines on the revolution and construction is a great Marxist-Leninist document of classical significance.

As soon as the report of Comrade Kim Il Sung at the 20th anniversary celebration of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea was made public to the world, numerous revolutionaries and revolutionary peoples of the world expressed absolute support and sympathy for it, appraising it highly as a "great programmatic document of principle on the socialist revolution and socialist construction as a whole," a "Communist Manifesto of the mid-twentieth century" and a "great Marxist-Leninist document of classical significance at the present times."

The entire Korean people who have read this historic report which illumines the bright path to victory in the revolution, are fighting on with redoubled courage along the glorious road of struggle, the road of victory and progress indicated by the wise Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, filled with boundless respect for and trust in the Leader, who always guides them along the golden road of victory and honour, with a swelling sense of pride and happiness to have him as the Leader.

The Line of Self-Defensive National Defence Upbuilding Set Forth by the Respected and Beloved Leader Comrade KIM IL SUNG, the Gifted Military Strategist, Is the Great Revolutionary Military Programme of Our Party

In his report on the work of the Central Committee to the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea, Comrade Kim Il Sung, the military strategist-genius and great Leader of revolution, summed up the historic victory won in the field of military affairs and put forward the programmatic tasks for reinforcing national defence power.

The unique line on national defence upbuilding set forth by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, is an encyclopedia which gives correct answers to all theoretical and practical problems arising in the military activities of the Marxist-Leninist Parties and in the strengthening of defence power; it is a great revolutionary military programme to be firmly upheld in the whole course of building socialism and communism.

Underlying the Leader's line on national defence upbuilding are his great idea of *Juche* and the principle of self-defence, its embodiment in the field of military affairs.

The principle of self-defence is a revolutionary principle invariably maintained by our Party in the field of national defence upbuilding.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader, taught as follows:

"We should continue to hold fast to the line already put forth by the Party, the line of arming the entire people, turning the whole country into a fortress, converting the whole army into a cadre army and modernizing the whole army, and should implement more thoroughly the principle of self-defence in national defence." ("Report on the Work of the Central Committee to the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea," p. 70.)

As taught by the Leader, the decisive factor in victory in the struggle against the imperialist aggressors is the internal revolutionary forces of the country concerned. Although foreign support is important in the struggle against imperialist aggression and international capital, it plays only a secondary role, and no more. If one only pins hope on foreign support and aid, instead of building up his own revolutionary forces, he can not defend the security of his fatherland and the revolutionary gains reliably from the encroachment of imperialism.

The principle of self-defence expounded by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the genius Leader of revolution, enables the Communists and the revolutionary peoples to maintain the attitude of master, the independent stand, the stand of rejecting dependence on others and carrying on revolutionary war by their own strength, and to hold a creative stand of opposing dogmatism and solving all problems arising in the national defence upbuilding to meet the practical requirements of revolutionary wars which are waged under different conditions.

Indeed, the principle of self-defence founded by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader, represents a distinguished military thought which enables us to build up firmly the internal forces, a factor deciding victory in the revolutionary struggle, and thereby positively cope with the aggression of the enemy at any time and safeguard with credit the gains of revolution from the encroachment of the imperialists.

The principle of self-defence established by the Leader runs through all the problems of military activities and national defence upbuilding of our Party — the building of revolutionary armed forces, the establishment of an all-people, all-nation defence system, ideological and material preparations to cope with war, military strategy and tactics, etc.

For this very reason the line of self-defensive national defence upbuilding constitutes a most revolutionary line established on a well-regulated, perfect system.

Proceeding from the principle of self-defence Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, set forth the policies and concrete ways for strengthening the national defence power.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader, taught as follows at the Fifth Congress of our Party:

"We should continue to devote great force to reinforcing defence capacity along with socialist economic construction and make full preparations to cope with a war.

"The whole Party and the entire people should repudiate a pacifistic mood and the revisionist tendency of fearing a war and thoroughly arm themselves with the militant mettle and revolutionary spirit to fight the enemy valiantly if he dares to attack us with force of arms.

"The self-defensive military line of the Party should be thoroughly carried through so that the all-people and all-nation defence system can be established more firmly and the whole country be turned into an impregnable fortress.

"By intensifying the struggle for increased production and economy in all the domains and all the units, we should secure more material reserves and make preparations for satisfactorily ensuring war-time production."

To reinforce the national defence power means, in the long run, strengthening in an all-round way the country's power politically and ideologically, materially and in military-technique.

The teachings of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, that clarified in an all-round way the strategical line on carrying on economic construction and national defence upbuilding in parallel and the lines for making preparations to cope with war politically, ideologically, materially and in military-technique and for establishing an all-people, all-nation defence system with the People's Army as its core, represent the most correct policy for increasing the country's defence power as a whole.

This policy enables the entire people and the armymen to embody the principle of self-defence, thoroughly prepare themselves politically and ideologically to display mass heroism and patriotic devotion in war, to carry through the military line of our Party whose main content is to turn the whole army into a cadre army and modernize it, arm the entire people and fortify the whole country and thus establish an all-people, all-nation defence system and increase the country's military power in every way.

At the same time, the policy makes it possible to secure ample reserves of necessary materials, develop the munitions industry relying on the solid and powerful independent national economy already created and reorganize the economy in conformity with the demands of the situation so as to continue production even in case of war, and thereby fully make material preparations to defend the country.

Further, Comrade Kim Il Sung, a distinguished Marxist-Leninist of our times, basing himself on the deep-going and scientific analysis of correlation and role of all the factors in reinforcing the national defence power, advanced the principle of giving full play to the more important, fundamental factor and, at the same time, of properly combining other factors therewith.

The Leader saw to it that the armymen and the people should be armed, first of all, politically and ideologically, and, on this basis, they should be prepared both militarily and materially to defend the country.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, said as follows:

"We have strictly guarded against the tendency to neglect political work and cling only to military-technical affairs in the army and held to the principle of raising the political awakening of the armymen and the level of their ideological consciousness and properly combining military-technical work therewith." ("Report on the Work of the Central Committee to the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea," p. 28.)

Our Party has firmly established the Party's unitary ideological system among the servicemen and the people giving definite prominence to the work of bringing the political and ideological factors into full play and, at the same time, laying stress on other factors, the consequence being that our national defence power has increased to suit the nature of the Communists, the excellence of the socialist system and the revolutionary character of defence power of the socialist country.

This led the army and people to display a high degree of political zeal and steadily step up their material and military-technical preparations and made much for the rapid consolidation of the defence power of the country as a whole.

The policy of giving definite priority to the work of giving full scope to the political and ideological factors is the wisest policy which enables us to firmly train the people politically and ideologically and, on this basis, develop swiftly military technique and fortify military positions as firm as a rock, proceeding from the fact that men constitute a fundamental factor in military strength and their ideological consciousness plays the decisive role in strengthening combat power and in winning war.

The greatness and indestructible vitality of the policy lie in the fact that it enables us to increase the military power of the country by laying main stress on manpower and organically linking arms and positions therewith on the basis of a scientific appraisal of the decisive role of manpower in modern warfare and revolutionary war and that it embodies in itself the revolutionary mass line, the line of believing the popular masses, relying on them to win in war.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander and great Leader of revolution, worked out for the first time in history the policy of preparing the army and people politically and ideologically and, on this basis, setting up an all-people, all-nation defence system with the regular army as its kernel and with civilian irregulars as auxiliary and of fortifying the whole land, and took measures to implement it thoroughly, thereby making the national defence impregnable.

What is important in the Leader's policy is to firmly build the People's Army, the regular army, into a one-beats-a-hundred revolutionary armed force, arm the entire people and turn the whole country into a fortress.

Our Party has made the People's Army a cadre army and modernized it, and thus markedly boosted its combat power, with the result that the arming of the entire people has been further stepped up.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, taught as follows:

"When all the people are under arms, when all the people hate the enemy, when all the people join in fighting against the aggressors, it is quite possible to defeat any enemy." (Ibid., p. 70.)

The arming of the entire people is an inexhaustible source of the military might of our country; it can be realized only in our socialist society where the monolithic political and ideological unity of the entire people is based on the Party's unitary ideology, the *Juche* idea of the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, and the national economy has solid independent foundations.

The great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung organized the civilian armed forces in various forms such as the Red Worker-Peasant Militia and the Red Young Guards according to the features of those who are involved—workers, peasants, youth and students—and according to the strategic tasks entrusted to them, and formed units of various arms according to production sites and regions they are in, in order to establish their well-regulated organizational system. This made the all-people, all-nation defence system more powerful.

The thorough implementation of the Leader's policy of arming the entire people made our revolutionary armed forces strong enough to defeat the enemy at any place with their decisively overwhelming power.

The great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, the gifted military strategist and ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander, indicated clearly the direction and ways and means for strengthening the combat power of the People's Army that constitutes the backbone of the all-people, all-nation defence system, and realized them splendidly.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, taught as follows:

"The important task in strengthening the combat power of the People's Army is to closely arm the servicemen politically and ideologically and, on this basis, make them continually study and perfect the art of war suited to the actual conditions of our country, and thereupon effect the modernization of the army." (Ibid., p. 71.)

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Flames of Technical Innovation Kindled by the Leader Spread Over the Country

Under the circumstances in which the whole country seethes with the revolutionary upsurge to carry out the grand programme of the Six-Year Plan ahead of the set time workers in Huichon are dashing at a hurricane speed adding fuel to the flames of technical innovation Kindled by the Leader.

To carry out the on-the-spot instruction given by the respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung in February this year, the workers and technicians of the Chollima Huichon Machine-tool Plant, striving to arm themselves firmer with the unitary ideology of the Party, are vigorously pushing ahead the technical revolution, particularly the comprehensive automation of production processes, while reorganizing production system. They set an unusually great target to carry out the yearly plan of machine-tool production far ahead of the set time and produce 10,000 machine tools by April 15 next year, 1.3 times greater than envisaged in the last year of the Six-Year Plan, and are unfolding an energetic struggle to hit the target.

Workers in Huichon challenged workers, technicians and office employees of enterprises and factories over the country to a socialist emulation for fulfilling the yearly plan by August 15 and the plan for the first two years of the Six-Year Plan before April 15 next year.

The technical innovation drive that workers in Huichon are launching is the fruit of the personal guidance of the outstanding Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung who called on them again, despite the claims of his busy life directing the state affairs, to kindle flames of creation in their hearts and lead them to the great upsurge; it is the reflection of their burning determination to live up to the lofty expectation and deep trust of the Leader and remain faithful to him.

The technical innovation drive is a practical proof of the correctness of the creative policy on advancing the technical revolution onto a higher stage and carrying out the three major tasks of the technical revolution, set forth by the respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, on a scientific calculation of the objective conditions of the economic development in our country in which industrialization has been realized.

The technical innovation drive initiated by the Leader marks a great turning point in carrying out the three major tasks of the technical revolution, particularly in accelerating the automation of production processes and in successfully implementing the Six-Year Plan.

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung taught as follows:

"The question of advancing the technical revolution onto new heights and further developing the nation's productive forces as a whole depends largely on the growth of the engineering industry."

To develop the technical revolution onto a new, higher plane is an urgent demand of all the fields of the national economy which have to effect a greater leap forward, now that the socialist industrialization and all-round technical reconstruction have been realized,and it provides an important reserve for the steady development of production at a high rate based on the achievements of industrialization. It calls for first of all a fresh innovation in the engineering industry which constitutes the basis of technical progress.

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung put forward the magnificent prospective tasks of the Six-Year Plan and gave the concrete guidance for their implementation. Now he came to Huichon and kindled flames of technical innovation among workers to boost up the engineering industry, particularly the machine-tool industry which has decisive significance in the technical revolution, in order that all fields of the national economy step up the fulfilment of the three major tasks of the technical revolution and fulfil the Six-Year Plan ahead of the set time.

The brilliant art of leadership of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the outstanding Leader of revolution, who creates a model at one place and generalizes it all over the country, set ablaze the flames of technical innovation among workers in Huichon, and the flames are fiercely spreading across the country. Emulating workers in Huichon who set the enterprising plan and have come out in its fulfilment, the machine builders of Kusong, one of the big machine-tool production bases in our country, set a plan to turn out with credit 10,000 machine tools by April 15 next year by introducing automation in production processes and reorganizing production, upholding the banner of the three major tasks of the technical revolution, and rose up in carrying it into effect.

The workers and technicians of the machine-tool factory where Comrade Li Hyong Ro works, aware that it is their duty to repay the deep trust and warm solicitude of the Leader by turning out even one more machine tool and contributing to the earlier brilliant fulfilment of the three major tasks of the technical revolution and to the further development of the nation's productive forces, are raising high the flames of technical innovation and effecting a great upsurge in the production and technical development, in response to the call of the Huichon workers.

A vigorous struggle is unrolled in the factory to fulfil before April 15 next year the plan envisaged in the first two years of the Six-Year Plan by increasing production more than four times as against last year.

Workers and technicians of the factory, striving to arm themselves firmer, before anything else, with the unitary ideology of the Party, the great revolutionary ideas of the respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, are energetically launching the technical innovation movement to automate production processes and boost the production capacity, and introduce other innovative devices.

In order to increase the capacity of metal casting, the first process of machine-tool production, they are actively pushing ahead with the work of adjusting and expanding the metal casting workshop and improving its equipment on modern lines and have wrought innovations in shortening remarkably the time needed for casting by introducing new technical devices. Particularly, to raise the capacity of processing, they have made innovatory proposals for the introduction of automation line of body processing, automation lines in the processing of vertical and horizontal sliders in shaper production and are unfolding a bold struggle for their realization.

The workers and technicians of the machine-tool factory where Comrade Kwon Jong Sik works, who always think and act following the idea and intention of the Leader and regard it their highest honour and pleasure to carry out his instruction, have risen up in response to the call of the heroic machine builders of Huichon.

They are making technical innovations, firmly determined to fulfil the yearly plan, 2.5 times greater than that of last year, by August 15 and increase the production 6.8 times more than the result of last year before April 15 next year, and thus top the plan envisaged in the last year of the Six-Year Plan.

The flames of technical innovation are blazing up in the October 5th Electric Machine Factory, too, which produces various gauges, numerous accessories and parts for automation and electric machines needed for machine tool production.

The workers and technicians of this factory are unfolding a vigorous technical innovation movement in keeping step with the upsurge in the field of machine-tool production. They are resolved to increase the production of motors for machine-tool twice, relays 2.1 times, gauges twice, apparatuses more than 1.6 times this year and fulfil the plan envisaged in the first two years of the Six-Year Plan before April 15 next year and are striving to put their resolution into effect.

To attain their huge goal they plug away at their work with the firm resolution to carry through to the end the programmatic instruction of the respected and beloved Leader that the machine industry should turn out in large numbers various parts, apparatuses and gauges for automation, in keeping pace with the extensive introduction of semi-automation and automation in all fields of the national economy.

Seeing the reserves for increased production in the automation of production processes they are directing all their efforts to it and have achieved great successes in their work.

All these miraculous innovation drives which are afoot in all parts of the country is the vivid demonstration of the great strength of our people who are forging ahead, rallied closely around the great Leader.

The wise leadership of Comrade Kim Il Sung, the outstanding Leader, and the inexhaustible creative power of our working people, single-heartedly loyal to the Leader, will speed up the realization of the magnificent programme of the Six-Year Plan.

Li Chan Sun

Electric motor assembling workers of the October 5 Electric Machine Factory are vigorously launching a joint innovation movement with the Red machine-builders of the Chollima Huichon Machine-tool Plant who raised the torch of fresh technical innovation

Medical workers of the hospital attached to the March 30 Factory check up on the health conditions of the workers and take responsible care of their health at workshops Photo by Kim Hyong Jin

At the Clinic of a Smeltery

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of revolution, taught as follows:

"Nothing is more precious than man under our social system. We must further develop public health services to protect man's life and promote the working people's health still more."

Faithfully following this teaching of the fatherly Leader, the medical workers of the clinic attached to the Nampo Smeltery have made persevering efforts to discharge with credit their duty as medics serving the working class.

This can be seen clearly from the "health care cards" prepared by them in all sincerity. Once in the reception room of the clinic, one can find cases like book guide cases of a big library. They contain the employees' "health care cards."

In accordance with the Party's line, the section doctor system, an advanced medical service system, has been introduced in the smeltery, too. In this course, the doctors of the clinic studied the health conditions of all the employees of the smeltery living in their sections and made the "health care cards."

These cards serve as essential materials for their systematic treatment and prevention of diseases, as the section doctor system, by nature, requires doctors to assume responsibility for taking care of health of people throughout their life.

Workers of the clinic first conducted medical examination of all the employees and made calls at the workers' homes and gained a full understanding of the health conditions of the employees' family members and relatives and the employees' dietary life and housing conditions and all other things connected with health. On this basis, they made the "health care cards."

They conduct medical checkup on the employees not once but regularly. They carry on medical examination of workers engaged in heavy or harmful labour and women workers more frequently. And they make it a rule to conduct check-up on those workers who change their trade or the newcomers.

"Health care cards" are prepared not only at the clinic but also at the treatment room attached to each production unit so as to take good care of the workers' health.

The treatment room plays an important role in the treatment and prevention of diseases, as the doctors spend most of their time at the workshops in their sections. There they give preventive injections and vaccinations and carry on health propaganda work in a systematic way with the help of a large number of the hygienic activists. They treat and prevent diseases in a planned way. In doing so, the priority is determined on the "health care cards" which are classified according to the workers' health conditions.

The workers, therefore, can get medical aid in good time to ward off diseases. Immediately the slightest symptom is found, the doctors take effective preventive measures on the spot.

The doctors of the clinic do not wait for the workers to visit them for treatment, but go to the workshops, where they closely observe the course of the workers' labour and take all possible measures so that they may do work fit for their constitution and keep themselves in good health. Meanwhile, the doctors arrange things to send the workers in a planned manner to the rest homes and sanatoria in all parts of the country.

The Nampo Smeltery, like other factories, runs its own rest home and sanatorium built at scenic spots, which are conducive to promotion of the workers' health.

This is not all the activities the doctors carry out in the on-the-spot treatment room.

To implement the Party's prophylactic line more thoroughly, the doctors pay due attention also to the work of converting harmful labour into harmless one. Together with the industrial hygienic workers the doctors of the clinic made a scientific study of the harmful factors that affect human body, and brought their harmfulness home to the minds of the workers through an active hygienic propaganda work. This led the workers and technicians to try harder to improve labour protection devices and hygienic facilities with joint efforts to do away with factors harmful to human body such as tremor and noises of machines and the like. As a result, labour protection devices and hygienic facilities to eliminate harmful factors have increased and improved markedly at the smeltery.

Moreover, production processes have been actively mechanized and automated.

On the other hand, the pharmaceutists of the clinic prepared highly effective antitoxic and skin-protective and other medicines and tonics in large quantities and regularly supply the workers with them in order to prevent the toxic effect of harmful factors.

Thanks to such active efforts on the part of the workers of the smeltery clinic, the occupational diseases have been eradicated and the attack rate has dropped steadily.

To carry out thoroughly the programmatic tasks in the domain of public health service set forth by the great Leader of revolution Comrade Kim Il Sung at the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea, the medical workers of the smeltery clinic are striving harder to promote the health of the workers who are out in the "100-day battle" to execute with credit the first-year tasks of the Six-Year Plan.

Pak Hae Chon

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The modernization of the People's Army, the regular revolutionary armed force, based on firmly preparing it politically and ideologically, along with its conversion into a cadre army, is one of the policies of building a revolutionary armed force invariably pursued by our Party.

The uniqueness of the Leader's policy of modernizing the entire army lies in the fact that the principle of self-defence is carried through in national defence by thoroughly establishing *Juche* in the modernization of the army.

To firmly establish *Juche*, do away with dogmatism and effect the modernization of the army to suit the actual conditions of our country is a sure guarantee for properly improving and strengthening the weapons and equipment of the army in the shortest possible time, developing military science and technique in an effective way and for raising the armymen's level of military technique.

It enables the revolutionary army to display its really great power by combining its political and ideological superiority with modern military technique and makes the combat power of the People's Army invincible enough to meet the requirements of modern warfare.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, an outstanding Marxist-Leninist and the brilliant Leader of revolution, also advanced the great military strategic ideas of our times and expounded the strategic and tactical principles to be adhered to by the Parties of the working class and their revolutionary armed forces in all times.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader, taugat as follows:

"If we make a good use of ... topographical conditions of our country to skillfully employ mountain warfare and night actions and properly combine large-unit operations with small-unit operations and regular-army warfare with guerilla warfare, we are fully able to destroy even the enemy who is armed to the teeth with a most up-to-date military technique." (Ibid, p. 71.)

The Leader's military strategic ideas on skillfully employing mountain warfare and night actions and properly combining large-unit operations with small-unit operations and regular-army warfare with guerilla warfare are the most scientifically-motivated, revolutionary military ideas reflecting the laws of modern warfare and revolutionary war. They conform to the requirements of modern warfare in which battles are fought three-dimensionally on ground and sea and in air, regardless of the front and rear and all potentials, political, economic and military, have to be mobilized to the maximum; they conform to the requirements of revolutionary war in which the entire people, with the regular army, are hurled and diversified methods and forms of armed struggle have to be effectively applied in correct combination.

Guided by the superb military strategic ideas advanced by the Leader, our revolutionary armed forces can fully demonstrate their fighting capacities in every battle they fight and completely defeat the enemy by making the most effective use of military potentials of the country.

By advancing the original strategic ideas, the great Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung gave the revolutionary peoples a powerful weapon for overcoming the "technical superiority" of which the aggressor troops of U.S.-led imperialism are boastful, with the political and ideological superiority and strategic and tactical superiority.

These really great ideas of military strategy convince us that a people, however small their country may be, can defeat any armed invasions of imperialist aggressors if they, all united, fight against the enemies hitting them in front and from behind and every other side.

The respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung, an outstanding Marxist-Leninist Leader of our times, the gifted military strategist and ever-victorious iron-willed brilliant commander, who worked out the original policy of self-defensive national defence build-up has made a great contribution to the development of Marxist-Leninist military theories and firmly established an asset for the victory of the Korean revolution and world revolution.

He has further enriched the treasure-house of scientific theories of communism by presenting the military affairs as an indispensable problem for building socialism and communism and as an important component of scientific theories of communism.

Hong Rae Hui

A Short Story

The History of Iron

Pyon Hui Gun

(Continued from our previous issue No. 10)

At last the workers drew out iron from the furnace No. 1, with General Kim Il Sung in attendance.

When the operation ceremony was over General Kim Il Sung sent for Ung Chil and Byong Du to the manager's office.

The General stared at them attentively, and then said: "You look very weak. You must take a rest, I think."

"We are all right, dear General."

"No! Though you say so your faces tell, 'in truth we are awfully tired!' I can sleep soundly only when you are well, you know? Go to the rest home or seaside to have a rest till you recover your health. If not, I'd not be free from anxiety."

Ung Chil and Byong Du were greatly touched by his parental care. They could utter no word but stood still...

Due to the loyalty of the working class to go through thick and thin if they were called by the Leader, dead blast furnaces, open-hearth furnaces and rolling shops were revived, and thus our history of iron was made. It was not merely a history of iron.

It was a history of the magnificent struggle of our liberated people for building their wealthy and strong state by themselves and a history of our working class being tempered as steel and growing.

This time, however, all things achieved by the blood and sweat of our people were totally destroyed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors.

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Ung Chil's heart pained bitterly when he read the feelings of dear Premier who came to see himself the iron works which was so topsy-turvy that it was difficult to move even a step, getting his feet wet in such an early morning when people were still in bed breaking the fatigue of war.

On the other hand, however, Ung Chil felt assured and new strength belched forth at the moment he met Comrade Premier.

Comrade Premier is the national hero who smashed the Japanese imperialists armed to the teeth through the 15-odd-year-long struggle which was attended with all manner of hardships and difficulties surpassing all imagination, and saved the country and people whose fate was trembling in the balance. He is the Leader who, in a situation full of troubles after the liberation, founded a power of workers and peasants to give factories to workers, land to peasants and schools to children, revived the factories and mills destroyed by the Japanese imperialists, and turned this land into a paradise to be envied by the world people.

Didn't the Premier splendidly defeat before the world the U.S. imperialist aggressors by rousing the entire people when they, bragging of being the "strongest in the world," invaded our country in a vain attempt to swallow it up? Aren't our country and our people called a hero-country and a hero-people because we are led by Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people and the outstanding strategist?

Now the great Leader in this morning, only three days after the ceasefire, has visited the iron works reduced to heaps of cinders by the enemy.

Ung Chil could not fully understand the immensely big, deep and broad meaning of this visit. But he was sure of one thing: our people's new history of creation would start under the guidance of the great Leader, once again startling the world and giving terror to the enemy.

Comrade Premier passed by the wrecked mess hall and came into the open-hearth furnace shop.

The deserted shop smelt of iron.

Comrade Premier looked hard at the damaged open-hearth furnaces for a long while and then turned his eyes to Ung Chil and said with a smile of deep significance: "Com. Ung Chil, the open-hearth furnaces are waiting for your skillful hands."

"We also wish to produce iron as early as possible. But, we just don't know where and how to begin," Ung Chil said with a confused expression.

"I understand you. But you've already started it, haven't you?" Ung Chil was puzzled at the unexpected words.

"We are doing nothing, Comrade Premier."

"No, you were doing it even this morning," the Premier said and smiled affectionately.

"...?" Ung Chil couldn't understand. (What on earth have I done?)

Comrade Premier, still with a smile, went on talking: "Com. Ung Chil, your sack hung on your shoulder tells it. The reconstruction of the works should begin with collecting nuts as you are doing. It seems to be a trifle matter, but what a noble spirit is in it! It is expressive of the workers' ardent patriotism to serve the country by reconstructing the works and producing iron as soon as possible and of the hatred for the enemy."

Comrade Premier stopped talking for a while and then went on again.

"When the Japanese imperialists were overthrown, they destroyed the furnaces even without drawing out steel. They scampered away spreading the groundless rumor that the Koreans were unable to reconstruct the furnaces. That was a lie. Didn't our workers, with their patriotism and hatred against the Japanese imperialists, produce iron and steel in a year and more cutting out the congealed steel with chisels? And today, the Yankees are bragging about the same thing. And you are already preparing to humble the pride of Yankees in the dust as you did in the war. If they know it they will tremble with fear like a leaf," Comrade Premier said and laughed stout-heartedly.

Hearing him Ung Chil realized for the first time the significance of his doing.

Comrade Premier who looked round the open-hearth furnace shop slowly went up the slope of the hill in the compound, his shoes getting wet with dew.

How often Comrade Premier has picked his way through the untrodden, grassy slopes ahead of the people at the first gray of dawn!

Ung Chil felt his eyes hot. Walking up the slope Comrade Premier suggested that the workers should reconstruct open-hearth furnaces at first, but instead of reconstructing all furnaces at once, they should, gathering their wisdom, begin one after another according to their capacity, materials and equipment.

Ung Chil imprinted every word deeply on his mind, seeing clearly each job he had to do before his eyes. And he felt new strength and courage welling up in him.

Soon they were on the top of the hill. From there was visible the whole compound of the works now free from fog.

The eastern sky was burning with morning glow just announcing the sun rise.

New leaves and twigs of acacias once cut and burnt by the enemy bombing were rustling in the breeze. Birds were chirping.

Comrade Premier looked fondly at acacias.

Ung Chil called to mind the day Comrade Premier visited the works years before, when he said that he had rarely seen such a works with so many trees in the compound and told them that they should look after them well.

Comrade Premier pointing at the trees said: "Just look at them, Com. Ung Chil. They were also broken, cut and burnt by the bombing! They, however, survived and grew so many boughs and twigs! It was because the Yankees' bombs were unable to harm them taking roots deep in the ground. Isn't it so, Com. Ung Chil?"

"So it is, dear Premier."

"Yankees resorted to every means of violence to force us to give in, but they could not harm our roots! They are the roots fed on the noble blood of the anti-Japanese guerillas. In the last war, too, a lot of heroes faithful to the Party like Byong Du defended the roots at the cost of their lives. If the roots are kept harmless, it follows as a logical consequence that they put forth buds and twigs and bear fruits. There is no force on earth that will shake our roots of revolution!"

After a while he went on talking: "Com. Ung Chil! Now iron is more badly needed for us than ever before. We are going to give priority to the growth of heavy industry with simultaneous development of light industry and agriculture. Only by so doing can we heal war wounds and build a wealthy and strong country with the firm economic basis. Then we can rapidly improve the people's living standards and increase the defence potential to smash the U.S. imperialists if they attack us again. That is the only way we should follow.

"Of course it is not smooth sailing. But we can do it with confidence. We are the Korean people who defeated the Yankees. We have the heroic working class and the basis of heavy industry. The Party, looking ahead into the future, built large machine factories which would guarantee the priority development of heavy industry and brought up technicians too, during the war. If we make good use of them, we can do whatever laborious tasks.

"We must build larger open-hearth furnaces instead of the ones broken by the Yankees and brick houses where straw-thatched houses stood and must show the Yankees the mettle of the Korean people in rehabilitation and construction, too. Com. Ung Chil, are you sure of success?"

"I have great confidence. There is nothing impossible when we are led by Comrade Premier," Ung Chil answered with deep emotion.

"No, Com. Ung Chil!" Comrade Premier went on: "You are the source of our might. I think of you workers whenever I have difficult things to tackle. Now I see before my eyes the grand works you will reconstruct."

Comrade Premier slowly looked round the whole compound of the works with eyes full of dignity and confidence.

Before Ung Chil's eyes, too, came up the panoramic view of the metallurgical giant—the great conception of Comrade Premier —which would rise from debris before long.

Various melting furnaces standing in a continuous row, giving off coils of smoke!

The open-hearth furnaces in which steel is boiling!

Rivers of iron gushing out with yellowish red sparks flying about in the air!

Magnificent coke ovens which would go up on the riverside!

Grand rolling shops with modern equipment!

Cobweblike rail roads in the compound and waggons going up and down carrying piles of melted iron pots, steel ingots and steel plates!...

Multi-storeyed buildings, glass windows of which are glittering in the sun and the city of iron covered with rustling street trees!

The happy inhabitants enjoying their jobs!

Guns and tanks standing in rows on impregnable fronts to reliably defend all of them...

Ung Chil could hardly suppress his excitement. He was very happy to have him as the great and wise Leader and was proud of being his soldier.

(Comrade Premier! We will carry out without fail the new task you set us.) Ung Chil swore to himself.

The history of our iron created under the guidance of our great Leader will continue to advance startling the world with numberless miracles under his guidance.

(The End)

Statement of DPRK Foreign Ministry

The U.S. Imperialist Aggressors Must Put an Immediate End to All Their Machinations to Infringe upon the Sovereignty and Security of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and Get Out of Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia without Delay

The Foreign Ministry of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea issued a statement on March 13 strongly denouncing the U.S. imperialists for frantically intensifying bestial bombing and shelling atrocities against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam of late, synchronizing with their new large-scale armed invasion of southern Laos.

The statement says:

Lately the U.S. imperialists are frantically intensifying bestial bombing and shelling atrocities against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam, synchronizing with their new large-scale armed invasion of southern Laos.

Almost every day, between February 22 and March 7, the U.S. imperialists sent "B-52" strategic bombers and various other planes to commit the criminal act of dropping demolition and steel pellet bombs over Quang Vinh Province, Ha Tinh Province and Vinh Linh area of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and causing great losses to the lives and property of population there and perpetrated the vicious provocative act of firing a large number of shells at random at villages of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam from the south of the Demilitarized Zone and from the sea.

This is an outright act encroaching upon the sovereignty and security of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and one more open challenge to the socialist countries and the peace-loving people the world over.

The Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the entire Korean people resolutely condemn the piratic bombing and shelling atrocities of U.S. imperialism against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and fully support the March 3 statement of the Foreign Ministry and the March 1, 3 and 9 statements of the spokesman of the Foreign Ministry, of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam issued in vehement denunciation of the new criminal acts of U.S. imperialism.

The ever-intensified aggressive manoeuvres of U.S. imperialism against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam fully show that U.S. imperialism finds itself in an ever more difficult position, hit from within and without.

The war escalation scheme of U.S. imperialism is no more than the last kick designed to recover from its successive heavy military and political defeats in all parts of Indochina.

With no threat and blackmail or barbarous methods and means of war, however, can the U.S. imperialists save themselves from the imminent doom.

The Vietnamese people are filled with the firm determination to liberate the South, defend the North and fight U.S. imperialism to the end to win.

The wilder the U.S. imperialist aggressors run, the heavier defeat they will sustain and the deeper they will be driven into an inextricable quagmire.

Enjoying the powerful support and encouragement of the revolutionary people of Asia and the world progressive people, the heroic Vietnamese people will completely frustrate without fail the U.S. imperialists' plan to "Vietnamize" the South Vietnam war and the "Nixon doctrine" in Indochina in firm unity with the fraternal Laotian people and Cambodian people.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors must put an immediate end to all their machinations to infringe upon the sovereignty and security of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and get out of Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia without delay.

The entire Korean people will as ever actively support and encourage the brotherly Vietnamese people with might and main and fight on to the end shoulder to shoulder with them till they win final victory in the war of resistance against U.S. imperialism and for national salvation.

Del. of Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia Leaves Pyongyang after Winding Up Its Itinerary

A delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia headed by Sarin Chhak, Member of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the National United Front of Kampuchea and Foreign Minister of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, paid a visit to our country from March 4 to 9 at the invitation of the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

On March 4, when it arrived in Pyongyang, the delegation was warmly welcomed at the airport by Comrade Chong Jun Taek, Vice-Premier of the Cabinet of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ho Dam, Foreign Minister, functionaries of government organs and public organizations and personages concerned, and many Pyongyang citizens.

During its stay in our country, talks were held between Foreign Minister Ho Dam of the DPRK and Foreign Minister Sarin Chhak of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia in a friendly and fraternal atmosphere.

At the talks, Foreign Minister Sarin Chhak warmly hailed the marvellous successes the Korean people have made in socialist construction under the wise leadership of Premier Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, and sincerely wished the Korean people more shining successes in carrying out the grand Six-Year Plan put forth at the historic Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea.

And he expressed full support to the DPRK Government and the Korean people in their just struggle for completely driving the U.S. imperialist aggressor troops out of South Korea and unifying the fatherland for themselves independently, without any outside interference.

Foreign Minister Sarin Chhak, in the name of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia and the Cambodian people, extended deep thanks to the DPRK Government and the Korean people for their active, valuable material and moral support and encouragement rendered to the Cambodian people in their struggle against U.S. imperialism and for national salvation.

At the talks, Foreign Minister Ho Dam expressed deep thanks to the Royal Government of National Union and people of Cambodia for their active support and firm solidarity extended to the just struggle of the Korean people and warmly congratulated the Cambodian people and National People's Liberation Army that, under the correct leadership of their outstanding Leader Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, are registering brilliant victories, dealing heavy military, political and diplomatic defeats to the U.S. imperialist aggressors and their stooges, the Lon Nol-Sirik Matak-Son Ngoc Tahn traitors.

And he voiced full support to and militant solidarity with the Cambodian people in their just struggle for defeating U.S. imperialism and its stooges and for building a new, independent, sovereign, peaceful, neutral, democratic, anti-imperialist, prosperous Cambodia with Samdech Norodom Sihanouk as Head of State.

At the talks, Foreign Ministers Ho Dam and Sarin Chhak sternly and scathingly denounced the brutal aggression and war acts of the U.S. imperialists and expressed firm determination to consolidate the common front of the peoples of Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, China, Korea and many other revolutionary countries in Asia and more forcefully wage the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist, national-salvation struggle.

Exchanged at the talks were views on the question of development of relations of friendship and co-operation between the two countries and a series of international questions of common concern.

The two sides reached full agreement on all the questions discussed.

During its sojourn in our country, the delegation visited Mangyongdae, factories and enterprises and educational and cultural institutions.

Giving his impressions of historic Mangyongdae where the deep roots of the Korean revolution have struck, head of the delegation said:

The history of struggle of Premier Kim Il Sung is a history of struggle for the people.

The history of revolutionary struggle made by Premier Kim Il Sung serves as an example in the struggle of the countries making revolution.

After inspecting the Chollima Hamhung Honoured Disabled Soldiers' Plastics Daily Necessaries Factory, Chan Youran, Minister of Public Education and Youth Affairs and member of the delegation, said:

His Excellency Premier Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader of the Korean people, is the outstanding Leader who guides with meticulous care all affairs of the state, big and small.

There are many leaders and statesmen and many revolutionaries in the world. But nowhere else in the world there is such an outstanding Leader as the Leader of the Korean people.

Premier Kim Il Sung, the respected and beloved Leader of the Korean people, is the great Leader who, forgetting sleep, strives to make the country richer and stronger and enable the people to live a happier and better life after the victory of socialist revolution.

Working people of various circles in Pyongyang, the capital of revolution, had a mass meeting at the Pyongyang Grand Theatre on the evening of March 5 in welcome of the delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia.

Invited there were the members of the delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia headed by Foreign Minister Sarin Chhak and staff members of the Cambodian Embassy in our country.

The meeting was followed by an art performance given in welcome of the delegation.

Prior to this, the DPRK Cabinet gave a banquet in honour of the delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia.

The Cambodian delegation, too, gave a banquet in connection with its visit to our country.

The goodwill mission of the fraternal Cambodian people who are waging a just war of resistance against the U.S. imperialist aggressors, the common enemy, and their stooges, was warmly received by the Korean people wherever it went.

The delegation of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia left Pyongyang by air on March 9 after winding up its itinerary successfully.

Heroic Vietnamese People Will Surely Emerge Triumphant from Their Anti-U.S. Imperialist, National-Salvation Struggle

The Vietnamese people greet on March 19 the 21st anniversary of the historic "day of nation-wide anti-U.S. imperialist struggle" in the thick of the heroic struggle against U.S. imperialism and for national salvation.

On this occasion the Korean people, having marked off the "week of support to the anti-U.S. imperialist, national-salvation struggle of the Vietnamese people," are holding various functions including mass meetings in Pyongyang and all other parts of the country, to actively support and encourage the Vietnamese people and further strengthen the militant solidarity with them in their valiant, just struggle against the U.S. imperialist aggressors, the common enemy.

In March 1950 the U.S. imperialist aggressors launched an open armed intervention against the Vietnamese people by bringing their aggressive armed forces including battleships and carriers into action in the sea off Saigon and Danang in an attempt to realize their ambition of aggression on Indochina, backing up the French colonialists who were sustaining serious defeats in Vietnam.

But, the heroic Vietnamese people instantly beat back the U.S. imperialist aggressor forces through their mass anti-U.S. imperialist struggle and resolutely thwarted their foul ambition of aggression. This was a historic event that fully demonstrated the heroic stamina of the Vietnamese people steeled in the anti-imperialist struggle. And this signified a failure in the initial armed aggression of U.S. imperialism to help the French colonialists expand the war in Indochina.

The Vietnamese people are now bringing their gallantry and mass heroism exhibited in hitting back the first armed aggression of U.S. imperialism into fuller play in their sacred war of resistance against U.S. imperialism and for national salvation to liberate the South, defend the North and attain the peaceful reunification of the country.

The people and officers and men of the People's Army of North Vietnam, under the correct leadership of the Workers' Party of Vietnam, have successfully smashed the repeated aggressive acts of U.S. imperialism at every step. They have downed more than 3,370 aircraft of the piratical U.S. imperialists, thereby dealing a heavy blow to the enemy. More the people in Democratic Vietnam are engaged in a number of patriotic movements to discharge the duty as a great rear for the great front and thus give active assistance to their fighting brothers in South Vietnam.

The people and People's Liberation Armed Forces of South Vietnam, closely united under the glorious revolutionary banner of the South Vietnam National Front for Liberation, have displayed mass heroism and indomitable fighting spirit. They thereby have nipped the U.S. imperialists' "pacification programme" and "plan for Vietnamization of the war" successfully, and already liberated four-fifths of the territory of South Vietnam inhabited by two-thirds of its population. And they registered great results in their battles: they killed, wounded or captured more than 2,800,000 enemies including over 885,000 U.S. imperialist aggressor armymen and troops of their satellite countries, and destroyed 26,400 planes and upward.

The Korean people rejoice over the brilliant victory won by the Vietnamese people in their sacred anti-U.S. imperialist, national-salvation struggle as over their own and warmly congratulate them upon it.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, pointed out as follows:

"As it is on the decline and hard pressed, U.S. imperialism resorts more desperately to the policies of aggression and war." ("Report on the Work of the Central Committee to the Fifth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea," p. 96.)

Today the U.S. imperialists are suffering one serious setback after another in face of the heroic war of resistance by the Vietnamese people. But they, not yet abandoning their ambition of aggression on Vietnam, are further expanding frantically their reckless war action against the Vietnamese people and other Indochinese peoples.

Particularly in recent months the U.S. imperialists have been further stepping up their criminal war actions against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam such as brazen-faced reconnaissance action, indiscriminate bombing and "action by special attack units." They have gone the length of massing large contingents of their aggression troops and puppet army of South Vietnam in the area close to the 17th parallel, openly revealing even their intention to invade the Democratic Republic of Vietnam. Such moves on the part of the Yankee devils, however, are but a manifestation of vulnerability, a deathbed struggle, of those who have been defeated and are going to ruin.

With no threat, blackmail or adventurous war escalation can the U.S. imperialists attain their aggressive end or hold in check the triumphant advance of the Vietnamese people.

Now the Vietnamese people, with conviction of a sure victory and steel-strong fighting will, are giving one counter-offensive after another to the enemy on all the fronts, while further strengthening the militant unity and solidarity with the peoples in Laos and Cambodia.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors must discontinue all war actions against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam at once, stop their dirty war of aggression in South Vietnam and unconditionally withdraw therefrom without delay, taking along their aggressor troops and troops of their satellite countries and puppets and all the lethal weapons.

The Vietnam question must be solved according to the ten-point overall solution and eight supplementary points of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam, as has been reclarified in an appeal recently made public by the Workers' Party of Vietnam and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam.

Should the U.S. imperialist aggressors continue to expand and intensify their criminal aggressive war in disregard of the repeated warnings from the Vietnamese people and of the strong denunciation on the part of all the progressive peoples in Asia and the rest of the world, the brutes will sustain a yet heavier defeat.

Firm Solidarity for Just Struggle of Zimbabwe People

March 17 is the day of solidarity with the Zimbabwe people.

On this occasion, the Korean people extend firm, militant solidarity to the Zimbabwe people who are waging a vigorous armed struggle against the U.S.-led imperialism and colonialism and for overthrowing the racist tyranny of the Smith clique and achieving the country's independence and genuine liberation.

The start of the patriotic armed struggle of the Zimbabwe people early in 1964 was an event of great importance which opened up a new stage in the history of their anti-imperialist national liberation struggle, and it was a hard blow to the U.S.-British imperialists who tried to perpetuate their neo-colonialist domination over the South African area.

The Zimbabwe patriots tested and steeled through a long-drawn armed struggle are now inflicting serious military and political blows upon the U.S.-led imperialism, the mercenary troops of its satellites and the Smith white racists through the formation of the guerilla front over a vast area, and are expanding their successes from day to day.

The Korean people truly rejoice over the shining successes the brave Zimbabwe people are attaining in their sacred armed struggle.

While intensifying direct political, economic and military collusion with the Vorster racist clique of South Africa and the Smith white racist clique of Southern Rhodesia, the U.S. imperialists and the British and Portuguese colonialists are involving in it even the Japanese militarists and the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique of South Korea. In this way, they are harshly suppressing the righteous anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist national liberation struggle of the Zimbabwe people and the struggle of the fighting peoples of the African countries such as Angola, Mozambique and Guinea (BISAU).

This shows that U.S. imperialism is the common enemy of the African peoples and the peoples of the whole world and target No. 1 in their struggle.

The present situation demands before anything else that the fighting revolutionary peoples of the world form the broadest possible anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist united front and deal blows to the imperialists by concerted action and, at the same time, direct the spearhead of struggle against U.S. imperialism.

Today the Zimbabwe people, while strengthening solidarity with the world revolutionary peoples, are daily expanding and reinforcing their own armed ranks and adding fuel to the fierce flames of the armed struggle.

In particular, the Zimbabwe people, expressing boundless reverence for Comrade Kim Il Sung, the genius of revolution and the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, highly appreciate the brilliant successes our people have registered in the socialist revolution and construction under his wise leadership.

Also, they manifest firm solidarity for the just cause of our people for the expulsion of U.S. imperialism and the independent unification of the country. This is a precious encouragement to the struggle of our people.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, said as follows:

"Our people oppose all forms of colonialism and national oppression and always stand firmly on the side of the oppressed nations." (Kim Il Sung, *Selected Works*, Vol. IV, p. 123.)

The Korean people will, in the future too, as in the past, stand firmly on the side of the Zimbabwe people and give strong support and encouragement to their anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. imperialist national liberation struggle.

The sacred anti-imperialist national liberation struggle of the Zimbabwe people enjoying the active support of the progressive peoples of the whole world will surely be crowned with final victory.

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communism pointed out by the Leader.

The report was followed by speeches.

The speakers mentioned with high pride their experiences gained in their worthwhile struggle for performing with credit the lofty mission of thoroughly arming the working people with the unitary ideology of the Party, revolutionizing and working-classizing the whole society and vigorously rousing the masses to the implementation of the teachings of the Leader and the Party's policies under the wise guidance and utmost care of the respected and beloved Leader Comrade Kim Il Sung.

They renewed their resolve to carry on the mass political agitation work with greater vigor to equip the entire working people more firmly with the unitary ideology of the Party and rouse them to the struggle for carrying out before April 15 next year the first two-year tasks of the Six-Year Plan, so as to live up to the deep trust and expectation of the Leader with loyalty.

At the meeting a letter of pledge to Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of our Party and the 40 million Korean people, was adopted amid the stormy applause of its entire attendants.

Treacherous Jargon of the Arch-Traitor Trying to Remain Puppet "President" by Faithfully Executing the U.S. Imperialists' Policy of Aggression

Pak Jung Hi, the arch-traitor and brutal fascist hangman, let loose a stream of treacherous words in his so-called "interview" with president of "UPI," a reptile news agency of U.S. imperialism, who crept into South Korea on March 8, and in his foul not-worth-a-straw "article" contributed to a book, a publication patronized by U.S. imperialism.

In his "interview" and "article" Pak Jung Hi, the cursed military gangster, parroting the infamous "doctrine" of his master Nixon, spoke a whole lot of hackneyed, ridiculous nonsense. He said that importance should be attached to "Japan's role in Asia" and that it is "indispensable to peace in Asia" to establish "harmony and equilibrium" in the "South Korea-U.S. and South Korea-Japan relations."

Moreover, the devil not only treacherously advocated again the need of "fostering national strength" but brazenfacedly bragged of his traitorous crimes as a kind of "feat" and revealed his intention to run for the "election" of the puppet "president."

This whole lot of baldardash let out by the arch-traitor Pak Jung Hi shows how desperately he is seeking to make South Korea serve more thoroughly U.S. imperialism as its military base for aggression and to turn it into a complete colony of the Japanese militarists. At the same time, it is a vow of the detestable lackey to implement more faithfully the U.S. and Japanese aggressors' policies of aggression and war against the whole of Korea and Asia and fully discloses his ulterior motive to remain in puppet "presidency" with the backing of his masters.

As is well known to the whole world, the cunning and wicked U.S. imperialist aggressors, under the signboard of the notorious "Nixon doctrine," have been increasing their armed forces of aggression in South Korea and the puppet armed forces and have been frantically working to openly bring the revived and rearmed Japanese militarists into South Korea, while advertising "reduction" of their aggressor troops occupying South Korea and their "partial withdrawal."

Taking advantage of the U.S. imperialists' Asian strategy and guided by the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique, a band of arch-traitors, the Japanese militarists who historically invaded other countries with the backing of big powers are stretching their crooked hands of aggression deeper into South Korea and are more recklessly manoeuvring to realize the wild dream of a "Greater East Asia Co-prosperity Sphere" with South Korea as a stepping stone.

The dirty rubbish of the traitor Pak Jung Hi about the "harmony and equilibrium" in the "South Korea-U.S. and South Korea-Japan relations" and about the "role" of Japanese militarism nakedly reveals his despicable scheme to put South Korea at the disposal of U.S. imperialism and Japanese militarism as their dual colony and military base for aggression, actively follow their policies of aggression and war and deliver himself from the sealed fate of ruin by begging the U.S. and Japanese reactionaries for more dollars and arms.

In his recent jargon the traitor Pak Jung Hi, parroting the rubbish of his master U.S. imperialism, blared out that "peace in the Far East" depends on a "system of collective security." This shows that he is trying to fulfil his ambition of a long-term "office" by winning more patronage of his master U.S. imperialism as its dog that is more active than any other puppets in its aggressive manoeuvre to perfect an "Asian anti-communist military alliance" with the military and political compact between the Japanese militarists and the South Korean puppets as its "axis" and thus carry its Asian strategy into practice.

The brutish Pak Jung Hi has been manoeuvring to "modernize" the armament of the puppet army 700,000 strong and place the "homeland reserve force" more than 2 million strong under arms by using the increasing "military aid" from the U.S. imperialist aggressors and plundering the people relentlessly. Not content with this, the skunk jabbers that the puppet armed forces should be further "increased." This fully lays bare how frantically the villainous traitor is trying to mobilize manpower and material resources in South Korea lock, stock, and barrel for the execution of his master U.S. imperialists' policies of aggression and war. The quisling Pak Jung Hi again talked a nonsense about the need of "fostering national strength." This is a replica of the balderdash on "unification by prevailing over communism" the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique, a band of arch-traitors, chant like a spell. And this is nothing else than a pledge given again to their master U.S. imperialism, a pledge to perpetuate the territorial bisection and national division by continuing to faithfully follow its policy of national split.

As is well known to all, the traitor Pak Jung Hi, brandishing the bayonet given by his master U.S. imperialism, has placed South Korea under the unprecedented military fascist terror rule, turned it into a dual colony of U.S. imperialism and Japanese militarism and into a hell on earth where the economy has gone to rack and ruin, for the past ten years following his usurpation of the puppet regime.

It is also known to the world that the villain Pak Jung Hi is the "kingpin" in irregularities and corruption and a "prime mover" of the fraudulent elections, who has been committing all descriptions of crimes.

This notwithstanding, the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique are kicking up such a row to advertise their "feats." This shows explicitly the shamelessness of the faithful dogs of U.S. imperialism.

It is as clear as day that the foul aim the traitor Pak Jung Hi forsaken by the people pursues in such a row is to remain in puppet "presidency" by enhancing his fame which has already fallen.

With no artifice, however, can the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique ever fool the South Korean people. The traitor's jargon only enrages them further still.

Comrade Kim Il Sung, the great Leader of the 40 million Korean people, said as follows:

"The South Korean people will certainly drive the U.S. imperialists out of South Korea and crush the Pak Jung Hi puppet regime and the day will soon come when they will establish a people's power with their own hands and actualize the unification of the country together with the people in the northern half." ("Answers to the Questions Raised by Foreign Correspondents," p. 59.)

The quisling Pak Jung Hi is now working madly to prolong his foul life, but it is no more than a death-bed struggle of a man whose days are numbered.

The ever-awakening South Korean people will never fail to overthrow the arch-traitor Pak Jung Hi, the heinous quisling and dual pawn of U.S. imperialism and Japanese militarism.

Kim Byong Sam

"Let Us Plough Paddy and Dry Fields, and Let Us Pluck Pak Jung Hi, Too. If We Seed without Plucking Him, We Shall Suffer from Crop Failure for Long Years to Come"

The South Korean People Are Dead Set against the Long-Term "Office" Scheme of the Traitorous Pak Jung Hi Puppet Clique

Mounting ever higher among the people of all walks of life in South Korea is the spirit to reject and fight the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique, a pack of faithful dogs of U.S. imperialism, who have "amended the constitution for the third-term election" and are now scheming for a long-term "office," selling off the country and the nation and committing all sorts of irregularities and corrupt doings.

Such spirit finds its patent expression in the fact that the South Korean people are sneering at and denouncing the tricks the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique are playing for the so-called "elections" scheduled for April and May.

A South Korean peasant surnamed Cho living in Chongwon county, North Chungchong Province, a report says, determinedly stated of late: "We, awakened peasants, will without fail demonstrate our strength in the elections this year, whether we are entertained with a glass of rice wine or not and whether we are presented with a pair of rubber shoes or not."

The statement of the peasant is an irony of the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique who are now playing a dirty trick throughout South Korea to bribe the people by rice wine, rubber shoes or soap into "supporting" them.

This statement is, of course, not an expression of the will of this peasant alone.

In this connection, a South Korean radio said that the South Korean people put a question "Which goes first, government authority or the people's rights, the power of money or human rights?" and that the voice calling for repudiation of "government authority" and "power of money" and for recovery of "the people's rights" and "human rights" is getting louder among the people of all strata.

Such an attitude of the South Korean people is dictated by their adamant resolve to fight on to topple the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique.

A local newspaper in South Korea pointed out:

"Peasants and working people, either in a room of a detached farm house in the countryside or in a rest room of the factory, are blaming for their hard-pressed, poverty-stricken life those who are carrying on 'government' today."

Another publication in South Korea, referring to the movement of the peasants who, uprooted from a small tract of land owing to the enemy's reactionary agricultural policy, exploitation and plunder, are roaming about the streets in quest of livelihood, wrote that their "attitude toward government can be in no way regarded as something moderate but calls for a drastic change."

Such movement of the South Korean people can also be seen clearly among peasants in South Kyongsang and Cholla Provinces. They strongly call upon the South Korean people: "Let us plough paddy and dry fields, and let us pluck Pak Jung Hi, too. If we seed without plucking him, we shall suffer from crop failure for long years to come."

Manifested in their call is the burning desire of the South Korean people to make a clean riddance of the U.S. imperialists and the Pak Jung Hi gang and build up a new system and a new life in South Korea.

The South Korean people will never tolerate the desperate machination of the Pak Jung Hi puppet clique to maintain their masters' colonial fascist terror rule by remaining in "power" indefinitely through their fraudulent "elections" under the wirepulling of U.S. imperialism.

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